PTO/SB/08a (08-03)

Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT (Not for submission under 37 CFR 1.99)	Application Number		10711462				
	Filing Date		2004-09-20				
	First Named Inventor Bog		Bogdan Radu				
	Art Unit		2885				
(Not for additional under or of K 1.00)	Examiner Name	David	J. Makiya				
	Attorney Docket Numb	er	MASL-57				

					U.S.	PATENTS			Remove		
Examiner Initial*	Cite No	Patent Number	Kind Code ¹	Issue D	ate	Name of Pate of cited Docu	Pages,Columns,Lines where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear				
/DM/	1	4875143	A,	1989-10)-17	Fernandez					
/DM/	2	6000493	A .	1999-12	2-14	Chen					
/DM/	3	6158869	A	2000-12	?-12 _.	Barnes, Jr.				,	
/DM/	4	6270229	B1	2001-08	3-07	Chien .					
If you wisl	n to ac	dd additional U.S. Pater	nt citatio	n inform	ation pl	ease click the	Add button.		Add		
			U.S.P.	ATENT	APPLI	CATION PUBL	LICATIONS		Remove		
Examiner Initial*	Cite No	Publication Number	Kind Code ¹	Publica Date	ition	Name of Pate of cited Docu	entee or Applicant ment	Releva		Lines where	
	_			•							
	1										
If you wis	n to ac	l dd additional U.S. Publi	shed Ap	plication	citatio	ı n information p	lease click the Add	d buttor	. Add	<u> </u>	
				FOREIC	IN PAT	ENT DOCUM	ENTS		Remove		
Examiner Initial*	Cite No	Foreign Document Number ³	Country Code ²		Kind Code ⁴	Publication Date	Name of Patentee Applicant of cited Document	e or	where Re	or Relevant	T5

10711462 Application Number Filing Date 2004-09-20 INFORMATION DISCLOSURE First Named Inventor Bogdan Radu STATEMENT BY APPLICANT Art Unit 2885 (Not for submission under 37 CFR 1.99) **Examiner Name** David J. Makiya Attorney Docket Number MASL-57 Add If you wish to add additional Foreign Patent Document citation information please click the Add button Remove **NON-PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS** Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item Examiner Cite (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc), date, pages(s), volume-issue number(s), **T**5 Initials* No publisher, city and/or country where published. LUKS, JEREMY AUSTIN (EXAMINER), US Patent and Trademark Office, Office Action issued in related application /DM/ serial number 10/711,463 dated 03/21/07. If you wish to add additional non-patent literature document citation information please click the Add button Add **EXAMINER SIGNATURE** 04/12/2007 Examiner Signature **Date Considered** /David Makiya/ *EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through a citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. 1 See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.USPTO.GOV or MPEP 901.04. 2 Enter office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO

¹ See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at <u>www.USPTO.GOV</u> or MPEP 901.04. ² Enter office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ³ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁴ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. ⁵ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language translation is attached.